

FOUR-CITY BUILDERS GUESTS AT CAPITAL

Sightseeing Tours, Ball Game, and Banquet on Program.

Members of the Builders' and Manufacturers' Exchange today took a holiday to entertain their guests, builders and their wives from Norfolk, Richmond, and Baltimore.

About 500 reached the city this morning by steamer, train, and electric line, and were welcomed by a reception committee, of which George E. Potter is chairman.

The visitors are in the city for the day only and came at the invitation of the Washington men for a day's pleasure, and in order that the builders of the four cities might get better acquainted.

The Exchange building, on H street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, was gaily decorated with flags, flowers, and signs of welcome. Here the visitors were welcomed formally by President Samuel H. Prescott and Commissioner Cuno H. Rudolph. After a sightseeing tour of the city a luncheon was served at the Exchange at 1:30 o'clock.

Thomas H. Melton, chairman of the entertainment committee, arranged a ball game for this afternoon to be played by teams representing the builders of Baltimore and Norfolk at First and M streets northwest.

Tonight a banquet will be served at Carroll Institute Hall.

SHOWING ON TOURS HELPS AUTO MAKERS

Carter Company Places New Agencies for Washington Car.

As a direct result of the excellent showing made by the Washington cars in the Munsey Historic Tour and in the touring test run to Richmond and return, the Carter Motor Car Corporation of Washington is receiving many requests for the exclusive agency for the Washington car. Agencies have been established so far in Baltimore, Md.; Pittsburgh, Pa., and Philadelphia, Pa., and for the State of Iowa, while negotiations are now in progress for the establishment of selling agencies in Boston and New York.

The performance of the Washington team in the two events mentioned above is now motor history. In the touring test run to Richmond two cars were entered in the competing division, while another in the Munsey Historic Tour, one of the Washington cars, driven by E. D. Harrison, won the trophy in division 4A, while another Washington car, piloted by A. Gary Carter, was second in this division. Both had perfect road scores, and the few points scored against them in the technical examination were of a minor character, and did not affect the running of the cars.

The Washington press car came through with a clean score. The two performances of the Washington team is claimed to be an American record for team work in automobile contests.

WASHINGTON WINS EAGLES' CONVENTION

Col. R. L. Montague, who has just returned from the convention of the Order of Eagles in St. Louis, brings the news that the influence of the Washington Chamber of Commerce has been sufficient to obtain the convention of the Grand Aerie, Order of Eagles, for Washington in 1912.

The convention committee of the Chamber of Commerce had been working for this convention for some time. A large number of other cities tried for the prize.

COUNTERFEIT WARNING.

While not calculated to deceive an ordinarily careful handler of money, the Treasury Department has issued a note of warning against a new counterfeit \$10 national bank note. The note is drawn on the Home National Bank of Staunton, Texas, series of 1902-1908, and is poorly executed.

EXCURSIONS.

Tonight will be the last opportunity this season the public will have to hear the Marine Band at Chevy Chase Lake and to dance to its music in the pavilion at this resort.

"Farewell night" at the lake always finds patrons out in full force to spend the evening. The concert program arranged for this evening includes selections that will be enjoyed by everyone. After the concert the band will adjourn to the pavilion where dancing will conclude the evening.

The motion picture theater and all other amusements will be in operation. The usual car service to and from the lake will be maintained.

This week will be the last opportunity afforded to Washingtonians this year to see the battleships of the North Atlantic squadron in Hampton Roads, as the maneuvers will end September 20. The Norfolk-Washington line will continue its \$3.50 excursion rates on Saturdays during the month, also the regular week-ends, including staterooms and accommodations at the Chamberlin Hotel.

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THROWN FROM CAR, WOMAN IS INJURED

Mrs. M. C. Myers, of Riverdale, Md., Taken to Hospital—Other Accidents.

Mrs. M. C. Myers, of Riverdale, Md., is today a patient at Casualty Hospital, recovering from injuries about the face sustained last night when she fell from a car.

The accident occurred near First and B street southeast, while Mrs. Myers was attempting to alight.

Two other car riders were injured by falls last night. John Keister, forty-eight years old, of 1711 Seventh street northwest fell while stepping from a car at Seventh and Rhode Island avenue. He was taken to Emergency Hospital, where he was found to be suffering from bruises of the face.

Mike Kelly was the third. He fell from the seat he occupied in a car on the Georgia avenue line, and sustained bruises and cuts about the face and head. He was taken to Garfield Hospital.

RUNS AWAY TO WED RATHER THAN WAIT

Eloping Girl Explains Trip Upon Return and Is Forgiveness.

CHESTER, Pa., Sept. 17.—"A year was too long to wait," declared Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, of Norwood, aged eighteen years, when asked why she ran away and got married in Wilmington.

Miss Mary George and Thomas Ferguson had been engaged several months, and were not to be married for a year, because of the youth of the bride-to-be. Ferguson is twenty-four. They returned to Norwood late at night, sought their parents, and obtained forgiveness.

CHURCH TO OBSERVE THIRD ANNIVERSARY

The third anniversary of the Calvary M. E. Church, South, 3028 Q street northwest, will be held at the church during the week beginning tomorrow, and ending Sunday, September 25.

The Rev. Forrest J. Prettyman, presiding elder of the church will preach tomorrow morning's sermon. The evening sermon will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. W. V. Tudor. There will be special music at both morning and afternoon services and the public is cordially invited to attend. Services will be held at the church every evening excepting Saturday.

WATERS FULL OF MULLET.

BEAUFORT, N. C., Sept. 17.—More than 200,000 pounds of mullet have been landed here in the last thirty-six hours. The price has dropped from 3 cents to 2 cents a pound. The sounds and bays are full of the fish.

CORONER TO DECIDE HARRIS CASE TODAY

Inquest May Be Ordered at Once as Result of Report.

Coroner Nevitt is to decide today whether he will hold an inquest in the Harris case.

The findings of the detectives upon which the coroner will depend, will be reported to Major Sylvester this afternoon, and as soon as practicable will be turned over to the coroner.

The police report now in course of preparation is the second one that will have been submitted by the detectives since the re-investigation brought about by The Times was instituted. The first was unsatisfactory to the chief of the department, who without making any part of it public, sent his men out again. The second report, which is expected today, is also incomplete.

Major Sylvester himself has already given expression to the opinion that the facts collected to date are sufficient to raise some doubt as to whether Harris committed suicide or was the victim of foul play, and if the coroner should agree with him the inquest will not be delayed by the prolonged police investigation.

Major Sylvester said today that the identity of the Baltimore woman concerned was still a mystery, although he has sent his men to Baltimore and other cities several times to try to locate her. This woman, the chief believes, is in possession of information that might help considerably to clear up the mystery of how Harris came to his death.

The ownership of the pistol taken from the local pawnshop, held by the police to be that of Norval T. Harris, is also in doubt Major Sylvester thinks. Those who partly identified the weapon have since said they would not swear that it was Harris', it is said.

LOCAL CORNETIST GOING WITH SOUSA

Guy G. Gaugler, of Washington, for the past twelve years cornet soloist in Chase's Theater orchestra, is now a member of Sousa's Band, and will accompany that organization on its European tour. Mr. Gaugler, during his connection with the vaudeville house, has made an enviable reputation for himself as a musician, and the best wishes of many friends go with him.

Sousa and his band will sail for London on Christmas eve, and the tour will embrace England, Ireland, Scotland, and then go to Australia, returning to America in the fall of 1911.

\$1.25 To Baltimore and Return.
Saturdays and Sundays via Pennsylvania Railroad. Tickets good returning until Sunday night. All regular trains except the "Congressional Limited."—Advt.

NO MESSAGE COMES FROM MISSING GIRLS

Mother of One Says She Wants No Publicity in Search for Them.

Edith Holmes, fifteen years old, and Odeia Brooks, thirteen years old, have not returned to their home, 131 F street northwest, and today no word has been received from them. The two girls left home about 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Mrs. Brooks, mother of one of the girls, declared this morning that she wants no publicity about the matter and did not care for the aid of the newspapers in locating them.

CAVALRY CHOSEN FOR PHILIPPINES

Orders have been issued by the War Department designating the Seventh and Eighth Cavalry for service in the Philippine islands next year. The Eighth Cavalry will be the first to leave, taking the transport at San Francisco on December 5, while the Seventh will embark on February 5, 1911.

The Eighth Cavalry is at present stationed at Fort Robinson, Neb. Fort Huachuca, Ariz., and Fort Apache, Ariz., while the quarters of the Seventh are at Fort Riley, Kans.

CORONER PROBES DEATH OF WOMAN

Mary Kelly Dies at Emergency Hospital—Fell on Street.

The coroner was today called upon to investigate the death of Mary Kelly, a white woman fifty-five years old, who died at Emergency Hospital this morning.

The woman, who lived at 487 Pennsylvania avenue, was walking down Tenth street yesterday afternoon and fell to the pavement in front of 492 Tenth street.

She was taken to Emergency Hospital where she was suffering from the effects of exhaustion and a contusion of the head sustained when she fell.

She died at 8 o'clock this morning.

Popular \$1.00 Excursion Sunday, September 18th, Baltimore and Ohio R. R. to Frederick, Keedysville, and Hagerstown, from Union Station at 8:00 a. m., returning, leave Hagerstown, 6: Keedysville, 6:20, and Frederick, 6:50 p. m. same date.—Advt.

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